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NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

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Items Required To Avoid Abandonment:

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing. Applicant must submit \$ 770 to complete the basic filing fee for a non-small entity. If appropriate, applicant may make a written assertion of entitlement to small entity status and pay the small entity filing fee (37 CFR 1.27).
- The oath or declaration is missing. A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.

The applicant needs to satisfy supplemental fees problems indicated below.

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

 Additional claim fees of \$1028 as a non-small entity, including any required multiple dependent claim fee, are required. Applicant must submit the additional claim fees or cancel the additional claims for which fees are due.

SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:

Total additional fee(s) required for this application is \$1928 for a Large Entity

- \$770 Statutory basic filing fee.
- \$130 Late oath or declaration Surcharge.

- Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is \$1028
 - \$738 for 41 total claims over 20.
 - \$290 for multiple dependent claim surcharge.

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Dear Sir:

TRANSMITTAL OF DECLARATION AND POWER OF ATTORNEY IN RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF APPLICATION - FILING DATE GRANTED

The captioned application was deposited with the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office on December 31, 2003 for purposes of obtaining a filing date, the application papers thereof omitting the oath. Herewith please find that document submitted in compliance with the provision of 37 CFR § 1.63 - Filing Date Granted. Please charge the surcharge of \$130.00 to Deposit Account No. 11-0875. A duplicate copy of this page is enclosed for accounting purposes.

In addition, the filing fee for claims, pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.16(a), (b), (c) and (d), is included. Our count of total claims is 2 more than your count of 41 for total claims of 43 and has been calculated as follows:

Nu	mber Filed		Number Extra	Rate	Fee
Total Claims	63 -20	=	43	x 18 (fee code 1202)=	\$774.00
Independent Claims	-3	=	0	x 86 (fee code 1201) =	-0-
First Presentation of Multiple Dependent Claims				+ 290 (fee code 1203) =	\$290.00
				Base Fee (fee code 1001)	\$770.00
				TOTAL	\$1834.00

Please charge Kimberly-Clark Worldwide, Inc. deposit account number 11-0875 for (1) the filing fee of \$1834.00 as indicated in the TOTAL above; and (2) any patent application processing fees required under 37 C.F.R. 1.17. In the event the filing fee indicated in the TOTAL above has been incorrectly calculated, please charge any additional filing fee or credit any excess in the filing fee to Kimberly-Clark Worldwide, Inc. deposit account number 11-0875.

The total additional fee(s) calculated for this application are \$1964.00 for a Large Entity, as opposed to the \$1928.00 listed under the Summary of Fees Due on the originally received Formalities Letter, dated May 4, 2004.

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CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

I, Dianna M. Rockey, hereby certify that on June 4, 2004 this Transmittal of Declaration and Power of Attorney and Filing Fees in Response to Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application -- Filing Date Granted, Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney, and Receipt for Corrected Filing Receipt is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first-class mail, postage prepaid, in an envelope addressed to: Mail Stop Missing Parts, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.

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